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## POLITICAL MEETINGS.

Two National Populist Conventions  
Held at the Same Time.

## OTHER CONVENTIONS.

Middle-of-the-Roaders Met at Cincinnati and Fusion Populists at Sioux Falls—Judge Yates Wins in Illinois.

Cincinnati, May 9.—The national convention of the middle-of-the-road Populists met this afternoon with nearly 700 delegates present. A national ticket will be named, which the leaders predict will poll more than three-fourths of the Populist vote for Bryan in 1896 (about 2,000,000), and which by a deduction from the figures, the leaders claim, would make almost absolutely certain the election of the Republican national ticket in 1900. The middle-of-the-roaders, however, are figuring on placing themselves on top in many southern and western states where the Populists hold the balance of power, and where they aver antifusion sentiment has become predominant. They assert that the fusion element from this time forth cannot be considered otherwise than a part and parcel of the Democratic party and that the party to be firmly established at Cincinnati will become the third of the great national political divisions.

Chairman D. Clem Deavers of Nebraska, called the convention to order. After the reading of the call by Secretary Jo A. Parker of the national committee, Chairman Deavers opened regular proceedings in a lengthy speech. He was wildly cheered.

Former Congressman M. W. Howard of Alabama was then introduced as the temporary chairman. Mr. Howard, who has been since Tuesday most prominently spoken of for presidential nomination with Deavers for second place, was received with great applause. He delivered an eloquent address and aroused the delegates to continued outbursts of approval.

Chairman Howard at the conclusion of his speech, appointed the committee on credentials which immediately retired. The convention then resolved itself into an "experience meeting" for an interchange of views on the work before the delegates. This speech making had for its main object the development of ideas for incorporation in the declaration of principles to be placed before the country.

The domination of the national ticket will not be taken up until tomorrow.

Cincinnati, May 9.—At a protracted meeting last night of the national convention of the middle-of-the-road Populists plans were perfected for the routine business of the national convention which will be called to order in Robinson's opera house at 1 o'clock this afternoon. Former Congressman Howard of Alabama, will be recommended to the convention for temporary chairman.

Ignatius Donnelly and Congressman Howard are the candidates for president and Barker and Deaver for vice president.

Reports made by Secretary Jo A. Parker to the national committee show that nearly 700 delegates have already arrived in the city. Every state in the Union, with the exception of Arizona, New Mexico, North and South Carolina and Vermont will be represented.

## FUSION POPULISTS.

They Are for Bryan, but Undecided as to His Running Mate.

Sioux Falls, S. D.—The dawn of the first day of national convention of the People's Party was entirely auspicious, so far as weather is concerned and the promise for a liberal attendance of delegates and outside visitors is visibly improved by fresh arrivals.

Some of the Minnesotans cast a damper upon Towne's prospects for the vice presidential nomination by declaring they were more concerned over bringing the convention to a harmonious conclusion than to secure the nomination of any one. Others say Towne may be counted upon if nominated to get out of the way if not acceptable to the Democrats. Senator Pettigrew is still pressing Towne's claims. He does not absolutely predict the Minnesotan's nomination, but does declare his conviction that the convention will not adjourn without nominating some one.

"The convention will not adjourn without nominating a complete ticket," he says, "and if Mr. Towne cannot get the honor some one else will."

The convention assembled at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, and was called to order by Senator Marion Butler, chairman of the national committee. Gov. Lee welcomed the delegates on behalf of the state.

P. M. Ringdale of Minnesota, was made temporary chairman.

Sioux Falls, May 9.—The Populist convention will be called to order this

afternoon by Chairman Butler.

Delegates from 28 states and territories including one from Alaska, are said to be here, while delegates from at least five other states are expected.

The question of importance for the convention is the presidential ticket. Some favor Bryan without a running mate, others want Towne on the ticket with him, while others oppose any nomination until after the action of the Democratic convention at Kansas City.

## PRESBYTERIAN CREED.

Colonel McCook Believes There Should Be No Compromise.

New York, May 9.—Colonel John J. McCook, in his address before the graduating class of the Princeton Theological college scored those ministers who remain in the Presbyterian church for the "loaves and fishes." He held that the Presbyterian church should be strictly adhered to and that there should be no toleration of differences of belief. Such views he denounced as illegal, immoral and mischievous. He began his address on behalf of the board of directors by saying:

"I wish to direct your attention to certain tendencies in the Presbyterian church, which I think weakens its influence and impairs its usefulness.

"There is the tendency to emphasize the Presbyterian creed. We hear it often said that the term Presbyterian denotes a certain form of government, but a definite type of theology; that Presbyterianism is opposed chiefly to sacerdotalism and prelacy congregationalism.

"We are told that the Presbyterian church stands for a free, scriptural, constitutional government, but that it should not be confined within narrow confessional limits. Presbyterians, it is said, should tolerate within their church differences of creed opposing views of the person of Christ, of the atonement and of the holy scriptures, as well as of the resurrection and the future state. But those who defend this position are far from believing in the divine right of presbytery.

"So far, they are far from regarding the Presbyterian polity as essential that without hesitation they admit to the ministry men of other denominations who have practically no conviction at all regarding church affairs. This tendency to which I have referred is illegal, immoral and mischievous.

"It is illegal because the Westminster standards form a part of the constitution of the church." It is immoral because the ordination vow of every Presbyterian minister binds him to the acceptance and defense of definite theology, namely, the system of doctrine taught in the holy scriptures and contained in the confession of faith.

"It is mischievous because it leads those who listen to such teachings from the pulpit to distrust a clergy who ignore their solemn obligations, who profess one doctrine while they preach and practice another.

"In many quarters it is claimed that a minister's piety, upright life and good works should be a cloak sufficient to hide his disloyal to the standards of doctrine which he has solemnly obligated himself to maintain. Permit me to say that there should not be one code of morals for the clergy and another for the laity.

"I will tell you what an average man of the world says when he finds a minister remaining in the church while denying the articles of its creed. He says that such a minister remains for the loaves and fishes. I don't say that the loaves and fishes are always of a pecuniary kind, for the Presbyterian name and badge are rather to be chosen than great riches. A Presbyterian minister disloyal to his creed is a soldier wearing the uniform of his country and fighting on the side of its enemies.

"When Presbyterian doctrine is neglected or attacked by the minister, and a mongrel Episcopalian service accompanies his preaching, it is difficult to see that there is any great reason for the existence of the Presbyterian church."

## Two Mysterious Disappearances.

Pine Bluff, Ark., May 9.—The mysterious disappearance of the two Pine Bluffians is at present the subject of considerable discussion. S. H. Clark, who recently resigned a position in the employ of W. H. Roane & Co.'s sawmill and whose headquarters were at the Dewey hotel, disappeared Friday night. His peculiar habits cause his friends to believe that he has committed suicide.

John Morgan, a baker, disappeared Saturday night. Morgan leaves a number of creditors, who would be pleased to know his whereabouts.

## Crafts Against Craft.

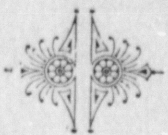
Philadelphia, May 9.—The executive board of the allied trades council has taken drastic measures in the fight against the brotherhood of carpenters. It called out all members wherever brotherhood men were employed. There are 25,000 members of the allied trades and about 5000 of the brotherhood carpenters.

## Wheeler Not a Candidate.

Huntsville, Ala., May 9.—Private telegrams from a close friend of Gen. Joseph Wheeler in Washington states he has announced positively that he will not be a candidate for the position in congress made vacant by his resignation.

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Mexico built twenty-six cotton  
mills in 1899.

Houston Post crop reports indi-  
cate a short corn crop, but a large  
wheat and fruit crop.

A Juneau murderer asked to be  
hung, and being short on prison  
facilities the crowd promptly  
accommodated him.

An automobile enthusiast writes  
that "the mule must go." Cer-  
tainly he must; in fact he has  
been going ever since his superior  
qualities were discovered, and  
many things in this country can  
not be made to go successfully  
without him.

The young man who is saunter-  
ing along through life without any  
particular object in view will real-  
ize when it is too late to retrace  
his steps that he has lived in vain;  
that he can never reach the top of  
the ladder without choosing some  
calling or profession in life and  
sticking to it. Every good busi-  
ness man in the country owes his  
success to industry and attention  
to business. If there is one young  
man in the country today more to  
be pitied than another it is he who  
has grown up with neither trade  
nor profession.—Longview Leader.

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Do not let your poultry die with chicken cholera.

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### TANNER FACTION LOST.

Comptroller Dawes Made Chairman of  
Illinois State Republican Convention.

Peoria, Ill., May 9.—The initial con-  
test in the Republican state convention  
proved a defeat for the Tanner-Haney  
faction. The fight came at the very  
outset of the convention on the election  
of a temporary chairman.

The state central committee had  
chosen J. J. Brown of Vandalia, a Tan-  
ner man. The Cullom-Reeves-Carter  
combination executed a master stroke by  
naming Charles G. Dawes, comptroller  
of the currency. Owing to the close  
identification of Mr. Dawes with the  
national administration, the effect was  
to give the opposition to the Tanner-  
Haney faction the apparent sanction of  
the president. Dawes was elected tem-  
porary chairman by a vote of 799 to 725  
for Brown.

On taking the gravel Mr. Dawes ad-  
dressed the convention. The special  
feature of his address was his opposition  
to trusts.

Mr. Dawes said in the coming cam-  
paign the Republican party will main-  
tain that the Philippines shall not be  
abandoned, nor our sovereignty with-  
drawn from them.

Nothing was accomplished in the con-  
vention at the afternoon session, the cre-  
dentials committee being in session. The  
committee proved to be a Cullom body. It  
took up the Sangamon contest and after  
several hours of argument decided in fa-  
vor of the Cullom delegates by a vote of  
11 to 10.

The evening session lasted only about  
half an hour. Chairman Dawes an-  
nounced that the committee on creden-  
tials had succeeded so far in disposing  
of only five contests.

There is much speculation as to the  
effect of the unexpected result of this  
fight for temporary organization of the  
convention, on the chances of the vari-  
ous candidates for the nomination for  
governor. The opponents of Haney  
without exception declare that it greatly  
weakens his support and foretells his  
defeat today. The Haney supporters  
on the other hand say that it will not  
seriously affect the chances of their can-  
didate, although admitting that he has  
fewer delegates than he had 12 hours  
ago.

### Judge Yates Nominated.

Peoria, Ill., May 9.—Judge Richard  
Yates of Jacksonville was nominated for  
governor by the Republicans.

### Reform Press Meeting.

Cincinnati, May 9.—Members of the  
National Reform Press association, edi-  
tors and proprietors for the most part  
of weekly Populist papers throughout the  
south and west, met here Tuesday and  
after a lengthy debate adopted resolu-  
tions which will be presented to the na-  
tional convention. They are substan-  
tially the principles of the Omaha plat-  
form.

The following officers were elected:  
President, Paul Bixom of Chillicothe,  
Mo.; vice president, C. W. Walters of  
Indianapolis; secretary, Joseph Boden-  
heimer of Dalton, Ga.; corresponding  
secretary, J. W. Streator of New Jersey;  
executive committee, Rodman Barker of  
Philadelphia, chairman; A. Steinburger  
of Mississippi, Captain Lowe of Minne-  
sota, A. L. Harbison of Vincennes, Ind.,  
and L. W. Binyon of Texas.

### West Virginia Republicans.

Fairmont, May 9.—At the Republi-  
can state convention here, Governor At-  
kinson presiding, 800 delegates were in  
attendance. The following delegates to  
the national convention were chosen:  
W. C. Curtis, S. H. Graum, J. E. Dan-  
na and E. E. Flinn.

The platform endorsed the gold stand-  
ard, expansion and the McKinley admin-  
istration. The committee on credentials ousted  
from his seat in the convention Dr. J. J.  
Hapstoull of Fayette county, the man  
who, as a Republican member of the leg-  
islature, held out and refused to vote for  
Senator Scott last year.

The delegates at large and the district  
delegates were instructed for McKinley.

### THE COTTON CROP.

Secretary Hester Places the Decrease of  
the Crop at 1,956,000 Bales.

New Orleans, May 9.—Secretary Hes-  
ter's analysis of the cotton movement  
for the eight months of the season from  
Sept. 1 to the close of April, inclusive,  
show that compared with the crop move-  
ment of last year in Texas, including  
the Indian Territory, brought into sight  
this season in round figures is 907,000  
bales less, while other gulf states, which  
include Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississip-  
pi, Tennessee, Missouri and Oklahoma,  
have marked 508,000 less, and the group  
of Atlantic states, which includes North  
and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida,  
Alabama and Virginia, show a decrease  
of 541,000, making a decrease in the to-  
tal of the crop mark 1,956,000.

The total crop in sight at the close of  
April is 8,550,883, a decrease under last  
year of 1,955,786; under year before last  
of 2,084,228, and an increase over 1897 of  
304,654.

### Jim Howard Surrenders.

London, Ky., May 9.—Jim Howard,  
the man accused of firing the shot that  
killed William Goebel, came in this  
morning from his home in Clay county,  
and took the train for Frankfort, where  
he goes to surrender himself to the au-  
thorities. Howard says he will have no  
trouble in proving his innocence.

### Ship Wrecked.

Melbourne, May 9.—The British ship  
Sierra Nevada, Captain Scott, from  
Liverpool, Jan. 16, for this port, was  
totally wrecked outside the heads. Five  
of her crew were saved, but it is believed  
that 22 others, including the captain,  
perished.

There was a large attendance at  
the Methodist church last night to  
hear Rev. John E. Green's sermon on  
"Worldliness." His text was  
two fold, the first from Exodus 12:22:  
"None of you shall go out at the  
door of his house until morning." The  
second text was from John 2:15:  
"Love not the world, neither the  
things that are in the world." The  
discourse presented the subject in a  
most interesting and impressive  
manner, contrasting the present and  
future results of a life devoted to the  
pleasures of the world as compared  
with one devoted to the service of  
God. Tonight Rev. Green will  
preach his "Railroad Sermon,"  
which has attracted widespread at-  
tention wherever it has been heard.

The band boys are circulating a  
subscription list for funds with  
which to buy uniforms. All should  
contribute as liberally as possible.  
The band has offered to attend the  
Madisonville reunion and advertise  
gratuitously all those who contrib-  
ute to the fund. Nothing will at-  
tract more attention at the reunion  
than the band nicely uniformed and  
in providing the means for it those  
who aid in the enterprise will find  
the money well spent.

No movement has yet been made  
towards the organization of a busi-  
ness men's league. Nothing has  
been done towards raising funds to  
repair the roads. Will the dull sea-  
son be allowed to pass without any  
effort along this line to build up  
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by deposit of ticket with joint agent  
at Louisville and paying fee of 50cts.

Brenham, Texas.—Date sale May  
20 and 21. Fare \$2.80. Limit May 23.

New Orleans.—Date sale, May 20  
and 21. Fare \$10. Limit May 28th.

Fort Worth.—Date sale May 14 and  
15. Fare \$5.65. Limit May 17.

Waco.—Date of sale May 14 and  
15. Fare, \$3. Limit May 18.

Dallas.—Date sale May 14. Fare  
\$4.95. Limit May 18.

Fort Worth.—Date sale May 21 and  
22; fare, \$5; limit May 24.

Waco.—Date sale May 21; fare,  
\$3.50; limit May 25.

Houston.—Date sale May 17 and  
18; fare \$3.00; limit May 20th.

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and Childrens Clothing at 20 per  
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ly square and legitimate—the dis-  
count absolutely genuine and the  
20 per cent discount off from  
prices already the lowest in Bryan  
means quite a saving to clothing  
buyers. Our stock of ready-made  
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ed in open figures on our samples, express  
added. That is that the purchaser pays the  
express which amounts to about 35 cents on  
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sideration will any clothing be charged at  
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MENS OUTFITTERS.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church will give a tea Saturday afternoon from 3 to 7 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. F. A. Lee. All are invited to attend.

Misses Frances Parker and Dona Coulter arrived yesterday from an extended trip through Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Wipprecht, who stopped over at Houston, and will return home today.

Prof. J. W. Carson who was here from the Brazos bottom yesterday, says Monday's storm was quite severe down there, uprooting and breaking off large trees, and blowing them down on fences and houses.

J. W. Thompson and Arch McCallum were here yesterday. They reported some of the farmers having considerable trouble with deadened trees which blew down in their new lands during the Monday storm.

J. P. Palms, Hearne; S. P. Moses, Boston; Abe Edel, Cincinnati; Geo. H. Steen, St. Louis; Jno. Hild, Houston; J. J. Knight, Dallas; Ed. Hardin, Waco; J. K. Freeman, Cameron; Jno. T. Luther, Greenville; T. S. Henderson, Cameron; J. A. Myers, City; N. B. Frellue, Patterson, La.; M. C. Cornell, Baltimore; A. L. Bowers, J. D. Trammell, Palestine, registered at the Exchange hotel yesterday.

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## NO CARS RUNNING.

The Strikers at St. Louis Have All the Lines Tied Up.

St. Louis, May 9.—Every street railway line in St. Louis and St. Louis county were tied up this morning and not a car moving. No attempt will be made to run cars unless ample police protection is afforded. The protection given Tuesday by the police, the street railway officials say, was entirely inadequate, as shown by the many damaged cars and numerous casualties. They claim the company has plenty of men who are willing to take out cars, but the company does not feel it would be right to risk their lives while the present condition of lawlessness continues.

Chief of Police Campbell declares the force under him is too small to handle the situation properly, but if the company will select one main line to operate he would see that the cars run without molestation.

Thousands of St. Louisans suffered the inconvenience of not having transportation through the city. Many walked to work, while others rode wheels or pressed into use vehicles of every description. Owners of wagons earned many honest dollars by transporting residents in the outlying districts. Down town and on every street during the hours there was to be seen a constant procession of nondescript vehicles, steam railroads entering the city from the north, south and west, helped out by putting on additional trains and making numerous stops.

Passengers on incoming trains suffered great inconvenience from the tie up and in consequence cabs and transfer busses did a rushing business. Almost every line of business down town is suffering as a result of the strike which is keeping out customers. Places of amusement were almost deserted Tuesday night and because of the prospect of a slim attendance during the continuance of the strike the baseball schedule has been postponed until after the trouble.

The house of delegates has adopted a resolution declaring the franchise of the St. Louis Transit company revoked in every instance where the company fails to run cars in strict compliance with the provisions of ordinances under which the franchises were granted.

## BOERS DEMORALIZED.

Roberts' Front Too Strong for Them to Stand Against.

London, May 9.—Although the British expected considerable opposition at the difficult drift of Zand river, the latest advices from Smaldeel indicate the federals are not yet ready to make a determined attack to stop Roberts' advance. The latter's front is indeed so wide and overwhelming in numbers it is difficult to see how the Boers can help being ousted out of Virginia Siding as they were out of Smaldeel, even if they neglected to give battle. The same conditions would probably affect the situation at Kroonstadt, hence the belief that little real opposition will be encountered south of the Vaal.

Repairs to the bridges over Vet river and Vaal are expected to retard the general march from Smaldeel and Fourteen Streams three or four days, when Buller will also be ready. The general idea is that General Roberts will direct his right on Harrismith in order to get in touch with the Natal army coming through Van Reenans Pass.

A dispatch from Maseru, dated May 8, says the Boers have deserted both Ladybrand and Ficksburg in a panicky condition, owing to reports that the British will occupy Senikal, thus threatening their retreat to the Transvaal.

## The Boers Retreating.

Smaldeel, May 9.—It is reported that the federals are quitting Zand river and it is variously stated they are retreating toward Vaal and taking up a position at Boshrand, south of Kroonstadt. Large numbers of burghers have come in and delivered their Mausers and horses to the British. They affirm there is a bitter quarrel between the Free Staters and Transvaalers, which is likely to end in a speedy surrender of the former.

General French has arrived here.

## An Appeal to the President.

The Hague, May 9.—The Netherlands Peace society has addressed an appeal to President McKinley begging him to further the peaceful object of the Boer mission, to investigate their case, to bring about an arbitration and to put a stop to the pernicious war in South Africa.

## Government Moved Again.

London, May 9.—It is announced in a special dispatch from Lorenzo Marques that the government of the Orange Free State has been moved from Kroonstadt to Helbron.

## Pullman Executors' Fees.

Chicago, May 9.—The final report of the executors of the estate of the late George M. Pullman is expected to be filed in the probate court this week. It is believed the report will show that the estate which amounted to something over \$8,000,000 when the will was filed, has grown to \$15,000,000 under the administration of Robert T. Lincoln and Norman B. Ream, the executors. The compensation of the executors for handling the estate will be more than \$500,000.

## Killed by an Enraged Boar.

Parkville, Mo., May 9.—William J. Summers, a resident of Platte county since 1854 was knocked down and bitten to death by an angry boar, two miles north of here. Mr. Summers tried to separate two fighting boars, when one knocked him down and bit him until he bled to death.

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10c figured draperies, assorted colors, reduced per yard.....	6 1/2c
Childrens 15c bleached Domestic drawers, age 3 to 7, reduced	10c
Childrens \$1 spring heel Slippers, reduced per pair.....	79c
Ladies \$1.75 cloth front vici Southern Oxford Tie reduceec to	\$1 39
Boys 50c Tennis shoes, size 12 to 2, reduced to.....	39c
Men's \$2 low quarter tan shoes reduced to.....	\$1 45
50c bleached linen table cloth 58 inches wide reduced per yd	39c
15c reversible linen Crash, reduced per yd.....	12 1/2c
25c unbreakable back combs reduced to.....	10c
Ladies 50c dog collar Belts reduced to.....	29c
500 open and shut fans, worth 5c each, reduced to.....	1c
Gents 15c black and white seamless Hose reduced to per pair	9c
Mens 25c Guyes suspenders, reduced to per pair.....	15c
40c lace pillow shams, reduced to per pair.....	25c
Mens \$2.50 linen three piece suits reduced to.....	\$1 39
Mens 50c light weight summer coats reduced to.....	39c
25c window shades reduced to each.....	15c
50c Jute Rug with fringe, size 18x38 reduced to.....	35c
Lrdies 10c sleeveless Vests, reduced to.....	5c
Ladies 75c bleached undershirts trimmed with wide lace....	49c
Boys 25c Calico waist, age 3 to 12, reduced to.....	15c
10c cream Valenciene lace reduced to per yard.....	5c
35c bottle Brithantine for rendering the mustache and hair	15c
25c bottle Witch Hazel reduced to.....	18c
10c box Treum baby powder reduced to.....	5c
10c assorted Hat pins something stylish reduced to each....	5c
Ladies \$1 Vici Kid Gloves, assorted colors, reduced to.....	69c
10 roll floor Mattings worth 25c yd, reduced to.....	21c
15 roll floor Mattings worth 22c yd, reduced to.....	16c
3 pieces floor oil cloth 2 yds wide, worth 85c yd reduced to..	65c
50 cases of good laundry Soap, 12 large bars for.....	25c

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Large Roses worth 20c bunch, reduced to..... 10c  
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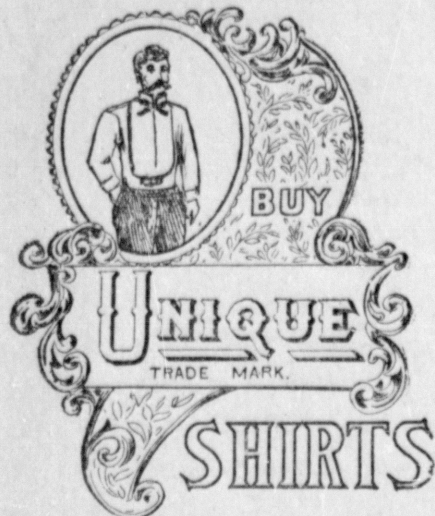
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## SHORT IN ACCOUNTS.

Former Treasurer of Cuban Postal office Department Behind.

### HE IS UNDER ARREST

When Bail of \$20,000 Was Demanded He Deposited Two New \$10,000 Gold Certificates—Other Arrests Will Be Made.

Washington, May 9.—The alleged heavy shortage in the accounts of Chas. E. Neeley, formerly treasurer of the post-office department of Cuba, is the talk in official circles here. Neeley has been arrested in Rochester, N. Y., and the question rose as to whether the United States or Cuba was responsible for the amount of the defalcation. It seemed to be the opinion of all the members present that as Neeley was appointed by the United States and that in administering the affairs of the island this government is acting in a sense as a trustee, is therefore responsible for the shortage and can proceed against Neeley's bondsmen for the amount involved. It was practically settled too that Neeley would be taken back to Cuba for trial before a civil tribunal.

According to the figures at command here, however, there is an apparent discrepancy between the postal order funds as given by Mr. Neeley and the amount due the government. It was stated that he had on April 23 \$119,930, while the books here indicate that he should have had approximately \$200,000.

Neeley was arrested at Rochester, N. Y., on Sunday and when the bail of \$20,000 was demanded, he deposited two new \$10,000 gold certificates. Neither Neeley nor his counsel would make any statement in regard to where this money came from except that it was furnished by the "friends of Mr. Neeley."

That others than Neeley are involved is implicitly believed here, although the evidence as yet is not sufficient to justify their arrest. Nevertheless should certain persons attempt to leave Cuba they will be taken into custody.

Neeley has made investments at Havana and in other parts of the island, having as a partner a postal employee, Carrydon Rich, who now holds the power of attorney for Neeley. Rich was Monday appointed to fill Neeley's place as chief finance agent for the Havana postoffice, but Tuesday the appointment was suspended.

Governor General Wood has ordered that all property standing in the name of Neeley in Cuba, should be placed under government control.

#### WASHINGTON NEWS.

Senate Concludes Consideration of the Naval Appropriation Bill.

Washington, May 9.—The senate on yesterday concluded consideration of the naval appropriation bill with the exception of that section relating to armor and armament. This went over until today when it will be considered in secret session.

During the morning hour a number of minor bills were passed, among them one to reimburse various collectors of internal revenue for internal revenue stamps charged against them but not accounted for.

The debate on the naval bill was practically confined to the paragraph relating to the commissioning of cadets. The committee's amendment striking out the proposition in the house bill which sought to commission the cadets at the expiration of the four years term at the naval academy, abolishing the preliminary two years at sea, was carried after warm debate.

The house devoted most of the day to the consideration of private bills recommended from the committee on claims and ten bills were passed. The most important one was to remit the penalties imposed by the government on the Union Iron works at San Francisco, the builders of the monitor Monterey for her failure to make contract speed.

Before the consideration of these bills was entered upon, the house approved the actions of the ways and means committee in reporting against a resolution calling upon the secretary of treasury for information regarding the materials used in the manufacture of oleomargarine, which is on file in the internal revenue office. The majority of the committee contended that this information could be furnished under the revised statutes and that it would betray trade secrets, but the resolution was adopted.

#### The Bingham Ticket.

Birmingham, Ala., May 9.—The Bingham faction of the Republican party through its state executive committee, of which Julian Bingham, collector of internal revenue for Alabama, is chairman, nominated a state ticket of which Charles P. Lane is at the head. Mr. Lane is editor of the Huntsville Tribune.

#### Sharkey Won.

Chicago, May 9.—Tom Sharkey, at Tattersall's, knocked out Joe Choiniski of California in two rounds. The fighting was of the hurricane order, both men landing repeatedly, but Sharkey had the fight in his own hands. The knock-out blow was a left jolt to the jaw just as the bell sounded for the end of the second round.

#### Took an Overdose of Morphine.

Sunset, Tex., May 9.—J. T. Bellows, an old citizen of this county, died from an overdose of morphine.

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#### FUNERAL OF CULBERSON.

Remains of the Old Statesman and Jurist Buried at Jefferson.

Jefferson, Tex., May 9.—The remains of Colonel David B. Culberson, who died Monday morning, were buried yesterday afternoon by the side of his beloved wife in Greenwood cemetery. All Jefferson attended the funeral, and there were many here from different parts of the state. All morning the home was crowded by friends and neighbors, who came to take the last look.

At the home, clad in the habiliments of death, lay all that was mortal of the distinguished statesman. Surrounded by his children, kinsmen and friends, he looked as if peacefully sleeping. Final treasures lay heaped around him; emblematic of cherished friendship. Sable sorrow has left her imprint on every brow and every head was bowed in grief. Services were held by Dr. Anderson at the residence. He paid a high tribute to the character of the deceased.

#### For the Choctaw Extension.

Ardmore, I. T., May 9.—A corps of locating engineers of the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Memphis Railway company were in Tishomingo locating the line for the proposed extension of that road from South McAlester to Ardmore. This corps has located the line from Hartshorne, I. T., to Tishomingo, and from the best information the road will cross the Washita near Mannville, I. T.

#### Negroes Charged With Murder.

Ardmore, I. T., May 9.—United States Marshal John S. Hammer arrested and brought to this city Lyman McHardy and Buck Bruner, both negroes, on the charge of killing Dity Marshal Hugh Myers at Davis Saturday night. The men were under a strong guard. Bruner is suffering from a gun wound in the right leg. McHardy is in jail.

#### To Enforce Game Laws.

Guthrie, O. T., May 9.—For some time men have been violating the territorial game law by seining for fish and by killing them by exploding dynamite in the water. Territorial Game Warden Keiger has determined to put a stop to this, and warrants were issued for a number of persons. Some of them are quite prominent.

#### Prize For Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma City, O. T., May 9.—A telegram was received here that Rev. James, the Kansas millionaire preacher, has decided on Oklahoma City as the place for locating the big Methodist college and hospital and orphan's industrial home. The amount invested in these buildings will reach \$200,000 and the endowment will reach \$800,000.

#### Negro Shot Near Corsicana.

Corsicana, Tex., May 9.—A negro named Peter Crenshaw was shot and fatally wounded on the Colecutt farm, near the State Orphan's home, 2½ miles west of the city. J. M. Wilson a white man, was arrested and taken before Justice Gruntham, who held him to answer in the sum of \$750.

#### Elopers Walked Twenty Miles.

Guthrie, O. T., May 9.—James Grogett, aged 19, and Miss Mary Queenberry, aged 16, living near Vilas, in Blaine county, eloped on foot, walking 20 miles to the nearest minister, and were married. When the girl's father arrived he took them home in a wagon.

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